

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT  
TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

SEP 8 1972

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office.....

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Map filed.....

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The applicant Ralston-Purina Company, Inc.  
Post Office Box 1900  
of Sparks, County of .....

State of Nevada (89431), hereby make application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association, give names of members.).....

Corporation - St. Louis, Missouri, January 9, 1894

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is Underground Well No. 1  
Name of stream, lake or other source. ....

2. The amount of water applied for is 4.0 second-feet  
One second-foot equals 448.83 gals. per min.

(a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet ..... acre-feet

3. The water to be used for Industrial (Condensing) and Domestic  
Irrigation, power, mining, manufacturing, domestic, or other use. ....

4. If use is for:

(a) Irrigation (state number of acres to be irrigated).....

(b) Stockwater (state number and kinds of animals to be watered).....

(c) Other use (describe fully under "No. 12. Remarks").....

(d) Power:

(1) Horsepower developed.....

(2) Point of return of water to stream.....

5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point: NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 15, T19N,

R20E, M. D. B. & M., or at a point from which the Northeast corner

Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land,

of said Section 15 bears, N 87° 56' 26" E. 3,357.45 feet

it should be stated.

6. Place of use A portion of NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 15, T19N, R20E,  
Describe by legal subdivision, if on unsurveyed land it should be so stated.

M. D. B. & M. and portion of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  SW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 10, T19N,

R20E, M. D. B. & M.

7. Use will begin about January 1st and end about December 31st, of each year.  
Month Month

8. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) Well, pump and condenser system

State manner in which water is to be diverted, whether by dam or other works, whether through pipes, ditches, flumes, or other conduits.

9. Estimated cost of works \$10,000
10. Estimated time required to construct works One Year
11. Estimated time required to complete the application to beneficial use Five Years
12. Remarks Estimated use - 1200 gpm, Twenty-four hours per day, 365 days per year. Water is to be pumped from a well and go through a condensing system, which will then be discharged into the storm drain system and eventually reach the Truckee River. All correspondence is to be directed to - John W. Bland, Ralston Purina Co., Checkerboard Square, St. Louis, Mo. (63199).

Applicant Ralston Purina Company, Inc.

By s/ Richard W. Arden  
Richard W. Arden - Agent  
950 Industrial Way  
Sparks, Nevada (89431)

Compared bs/cm ga/bs

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions: This permit is issued subject to all existing rights on the source. It is understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance and that the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the amount of water actually placed to beneficial use. It is also understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level at permittee's well due to other groundwater development in the area. A measuring device must be installed and measurements of water use kept. The well shall be equipped with a 2-inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water granted herein at any and all times.

No perforations shall be put in the casing until <sup>after</sup> the well is completed and the log available for study. Perforations shall not start less than 100 feet from the surface unless the log shows a satisfactory confining formation nearer the surface. The total combined duty of water under this permit and Permits 27150 and 27151 shall not exceed 630.72 million gallons per annum.

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 4.0 cubic feet per second, the total combined duty of water under this permit and Permits 27150 and 27151 shall not exceed 630.72 million gallons per annum.

Actual construction work shall begin on or before November 18, 1973

Proof of commencement of work shall be filed before December 18, 1973

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before November 18, 1974

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before December 18, 1974

Application of water to beneficial use shall be made on or before November 18, 1975

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before December 18, 1975

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before \_\_\_\_\_

Commencement of work filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Completion of work filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Cultural map filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued \_\_\_\_\_

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CANCELLED OF APPLICANT TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF PERMIT 218 (Rev. 1-76)

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, ROLAND D. WESTERGARD,  
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of  
my office, this 18th day of May

A.D. 19 73

Roland D. Westergard  
State Engineer

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